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In Re U.S. Patent Application)
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Applicant: HAUPTMANN et al.)
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For: **LINE TERMINATOR UNIT FOR**)
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a Preliminary Amendment for entry in the above-identified application.

In the Specification:

Please add the attached Abstract to the end of the specification.

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

3. (amended) Line terminating device according to Claim 1, characterized in that the digital frequency separating filter (9:207-212;605) has a first digital low-pass filter (10) and a first digital high-pass filter (11), the first digital low-pass filter (10) and the first digital high-pas filter (11) being supplied with the digital received signal (19) and that the digital frequency separating filter (9; 207-212; 605) has a second digital low-pass filter (17) and a second digital high-pass filter (16) and a digital adder (18),